Hiligaynon/Ilonggo

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1 Language Information

• Source: Spitz (2001)

• Glottlog: http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/hili1240

• ISO-identifier: hil

• Speakers:

• Location: Philippines

Geneology: Austronesian > Malayo-Polynesian > Greater Central Philippine > Central Philippine > Bisayan > Central Bisayan > Peripheral Central Bisayan > Capiznon-Ilonggo-Kawayan > Hiligaynon

2 Nominal Morphology

The nouns have two number - singular and plural. The pronouns have also an inclusive and exclusive first person plural.

3 Verbal Morphology

The verb has singular and plural forms.

4 Conjunction

The coordinating conjunctions in Hiligaynon are *kag* 'and', *ápang* 'but', *péro* 'but' (*ugáling* 'but unfortunately', *básta* 'but must'). All of them can conjoin phrases and clauses.

(1) Akó maestra sa public school kag sya man.

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'I am teaching in high school, and so is he/she.' [Spitz, 2001, p. 53]

(2) Gústo ko maglakát péro/ápang nagaulán.?'I want to go walking but it's raining.' [Spitz, 2001, p. 53]

(3) Baklán ko ikáw sang bìsikléta, básta magtúon ka sang maáyo. ?

'I'll buy you a bicycle, but you must study well.' [Spitz, 2001, p. 53]

5 Disjunction

Disjunction is marked by *úkon* 'or' and *o* 'or'.

(4) Malakát akó úkon/o mapabílin??'Shall I go or stay?' [Spitz, 2001, p. 53]

6 Prepositions

No information given.

References

Spitz, Walter L. (2001). Hiligaynon / Ilonggo. München: Lincom Europa.